

Proclamation

by

Ernie Fletcher
Governor

of the

Commonwealth of Kentucky



To All To Whom These Presents Shall Come:

- WHEREAS, Energy efficiency has the potential to save Kentuckians and Kentucky businesses millions of dollars each year, as well as prevent pollution and cut dependence on foreign oil; and
- WHEREAS, Energy efficiency can make Kentucky's industries and businesses more competitive in the U.S. and world markets, therefore increasing the availability of jobs in the Commonwealth; and
- WHEREAS, The governors of our nation are committed to maintaining secure, safe, and affordable energy resources for their citizens; and
- WHEREAS, By taking the 'ENERGY STAR® Change a Light Pledge,' citizens of Kentucky have the opportunity to save energy and reduce harmful emissions by switching to energy-efficient lighting products in their homes; and
- WHEREAS, If every household in Kentucky made this single change, the Commonwealth would save more than 127 million kWh of energy and over \$7 million in energy costs per year, preventing the emission of more than 280 million pounds of emissions, or the equivalent of taking over 25,000 cars off the road; and
- WHEREAS, Kentucky is proud to do our part in this nationwide effort, celebrating this day – ENERGY STAR® Change a Light Day – to promote energy efficiency and environmental stewardship in every household, by changing a single light;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ERNIE FLETCHER, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby proclaim October 5, 2005, as

ENERGY STAR® CHANGE A LIGHT, CHANGE THE WORLD DAY

in Kentucky, and urge all citizens to join me in pledging to change one light to an ENERGY STAR qualified light.



DONE AT THE CAPITOL, in the City of Frankfort this 26th day of September, in the year of Our Lord Two Thousand Five and in the 214th year of the Commonwealth.

Ernie Fletcher
ERNIE FLETCHER
GOVERNOR

Trey Grayson
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Secretary of State